DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating the Lewis Cass High School Marching Band for their continued success over the past 30 years. HEAD ______, read first time and referred to Committee on



SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating the Lewis Cass High School Marching Band for their continued success over the past 30 years.

Whereas, The Lewis Cass Marching Kings have won seven state championships, and are the only high school band in the state of Indiana to go to the state finals for 30 consecutive years, where they placed within the top five twenty-nine times;

Whereas, The marching band is competitive, and travels to numerous competitions to perform. They have played at the Indy 500, a Chicago Bears game, the Mardi Gras parade in New Orleans, Disney World's Magic Kingdom night parade, and even in Canada. The Marching Kings were also recently presented with the Spirit of Cass County Award;

Whereas, The Lewis Cass High School Marching Band has been consistently ushered to first place by their talented and dedicated directors. Current band director, Mike Clark, has instilled professionalism, respectfulness, and responsibility in his students. The articulated team goal is that it's not all about winning, but about entertaining the audience and enjoying the performance;



2012 RR 3542/DI cj+

Whereas, In addition to its marching band, Lewis Cass also has a very talented concert band, which has won several first place medals in the Indiana State School Music Association's (ISSMA) Solo and Ensemble contests;

Whereas, The band's "Sleigh Ride" song has become so popular that people come from across the country to hear the seasonal tune, which has been played at every December concert dating back 38 years; and

Whereas, The hard work of the students in the band is commendable and the dedication of their band director has produced tremendous success. Their efforts are to be recognized, as their accomplishments are well-deserved: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate recognizes the continued 2 success of the Lewis Cass High School Marching Band.
- 3 SECTION 2. That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
- 4 transmit a copy of this Resolution to the Lewis Cass High School
- 5 Marching Band and Director, Mike Clark.

